

Application No. 10/763,519  
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE dated September 21, 2006  
Reply to Office Action of April 21, 2006

**REMARKS**

After entry of the present amendment, claims 1-7 and 15-20 are pending. The Examiner's indication that claims 15-30 are allowable is noted with appreciation, as well as the Examiner's indication that claim 14 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 1 has been amended to include the recitation of claim 14. Thus, it is respectfully submitted that amended claim 1 and dependent claims 2-7, as well as claims 15-20, are in condition for allowance.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required with respect to this communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.

Respectfully submitted,  
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